Mississippi Department of Health
Bureau of Public Water Supply

STANDARD FORM

FY 2017 Public Water System Capacity Assessment Form

NOTE: This form must be completed whenever a routine sanitary survey of a public water system is conducted by a regional engineer of the Bureau of Public Water Supply

PWS ID#: _____ Class: ____ Survey Date: _____ County: _____

Public Water System: _____ Conn: _____

Certified Waterworks Operator: _____ Pop: _____

CAPACITY RATING DETERMINATION

Technical (T) Capacity Rating: [____]   Managerial (M) Capacity Rating [____]   Financial (F) Capacity Rating [____]

Capacity Rating $= \dfrac{T + M + F}{3} = \dfrac{}{3} =$

Overall Capacity Rating = _____

Completed by   on

Comments: _____

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Technical Capacity Assessment	Point Scale	Point Award
[T1] Does the water system have any significant deficiencies? [Y N]	N - 1pt. Y - 0pt.	
[T2] 1) Was the water treatment process functioning properly? [Y N] (i.e. Is pH, iron, free chlorine, fluoride, etc. within acceptable range?) **2)** Was needed water system equipment in place and functioning properly at the time of survey? [Y N] (**NOTE:** Equipment deficiencies must be identified in survey report.) **3)** Were records available to the regional engineer clearly showing that all water storage tanks have been inspected and cleaned or painted (if needed) within the past 5 years? [Y N NA] (**NOTE:** All YESs required to receive point)	All Y - 1 pt. Else - 0 pt.	
[T3] 1) Was the certified waterworks operator or his/her authorized representative present for the survey? [Y N] **2)** Was log book up to date and properly maintained and did it show that MSDH Minimum JOB Guidelines for W. W. Operators were being met? [Y N] **3)** Was the water system properly maintained at the time of survey? [Y N] **4)** Did operator satisfactorily demonstrate to the regional engineer that he/she could fully perform all water quality tests required to properly operate this water system? [Y N] (**NOTE:** All YESs required to receive point)	All Y - 1 pt. Else - 0 pt.	
[T4] 1) Does water system routinely track water loss and were acceptable water loss records available for review by the regional engineer? [Y N] **2)** Is water system overloaded? (i.e. serving customers in excess of MSDH approved design capacity)? [Y N] **3)** Was there any indication that the water system is/has been experiencing pressure problems in any part(s) of the distribution system? [Y N] (based on operator information, customer complaints, MSDH records, other information) **4)** Are well pumping tests performed routinely? [Y N NA] (**NOTE:** YES FOR #1 & YES OR N/A FOR #4 AND NOs FOR #2 & #3 required to receive point)	1)Y - pt. 2)N - pt. 3)N - pt. 4)Y - pt.	
[T5] 1) Does the water system have the ability to provide water during power outages? (i.e. generator, emergency tie-ins, etc.) [Y N] **2)** Does the water system have a usable backup source of water? [Y N] (**NOTE:** Must be documented on survey report)	All Y - 1 pt. Else - 0 pt.	
TECHNICAL CAPACITY RATING = [_____] (Total Points)		

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Managerial Capacity Assessment	Point Scale	Point Award
[M1] Were all SDWA required records maintained in a logical and orderly manner and available for review by the regional engineer during the survey? [Y N]	Y - 1pt. N - 0pt.	
[M2] 1) Have acceptable written policies and procedures for operating this water system been formally adopted and were these policies available for review during the survey? [Y N] **2)** Have all board members (in office more than 12 months) completed Board Member Training? [Y N NA] **3)** Does the Board of Directors meet monthly and were minutes of Board meetings available for review during the survey? (**NOTE:** Quarterly meetings allowed if system has an officially designated full time manager) [Y N NA] (**NOTE:** ALL YESs or NAs required to receive point. NA - Not Applicable)	All Y - 1 pt. Else - 0 pt.	
[M3] Has the water system had any SDWA violations since the last Capacity Assessment? [Y N]	N - 1pt. Y - 0pt.	
[M4] Has the water system developed a long range improvements plan and was this plan available for review during the survey? [Y N]	Y - 1pt. N - 0pt.	
[M5] 1) Does the water system have an effective cross connection control program in compliance with MSDH regulations? [Y N] **2)** Was a copy of the MSDH approved bacti site plan and lead/copper site plan available for review during the survey and do the bacti results clearly show that this approved plan is being followed? [Y N] (**NOTE:** All YESs required to receive point)	All Y - 1 pt. Else - 0 pt.	
MANAGERIAL CAPACITY RATING = [_____] (Total Points)		

Financial Capacity Assessment	Point Scale	Point Award
[F1] Has the water system raised water rates in the past 5 years? [Y N] (**NOTE:** Point may be awarded if the water system provides acceptable financial documentation clearly showing that a rate increase is not needed, i.e. revenue has consistently exceeded expenditures by at least 10%, etc.)	Y - 1pt. N - 0pt.	
[F2] Does the water system have an officially adopted policy requiring that water rates be routinely reviewed and adjusted as appropriate and was this policy available for review during the survey? [Y N]	Y - 1pt. N - 0pt.	
[F3] Does the water system have an officially adopted cut-off policy for customers who do not pay their water bills, was a copy of this policy available for review by the regional engineer, and do system records (cut-off lists, etc.) clearly show that the water system effectively implements this cut-off policy? [Y N]	Y - 1pt. N - 0pt.	
[F4] Was a copy of the water system's officially adopted annual budget available for review by the regional engineer and does the water system's financial accounting system clearly and accurately track the expenditure and receipt of funds? [Y N]	Y - 1pt. N - 0pt.	
[F5 - Municipal Systems] 1) Is the municipality current in submitting audit reports to the State Auditor's Office? [Y N] **2)** Was a copy of the latest audit report available for review at the time of the survey? [Y N] **3)** Does this audit report clearly show that water and sewer fund account(s) are maintained separately from all other municipal accounts? [Y N] (**NOTE:** Yes answer to all questions required to receive point.)	All Y - 1 pt. Else - 0 pt.	
[F5 - Rural Systems] 1) Has the rural water system filed the required financial reports with the State Auditor's Office and were these reports available for review? [Y N] **2)** Does the latest financial report show that receipts exceeded expenditures? [Y N] (**NOTE:** Yes answer to both questions required to receive point)	All Y - 1 pt. Else - 0 pt.	
FINANCIAL CAPACITY RATING = [_____] (Total Points)		